Jesus, Where’er Your People Meet

Where two or three come together in my name, there am I with them. Matt. 18:20

1. Jesus, where’er your people meet, there they be,
   hold your mercies seat; where’er they seek you, you are
   found, and every place is hallowed ground.

2. For you, within no walls confined, are dwelling
   in the humble mind. Such ever bring you where they
   come, and going, take you to their home.

3. Dear Shepherd of your chosen few, your former
   faith and sweet care, to teach our faint desires to
   claim the sweetness of your saving name.

4. Here may we prove the power of prayer to strengthen
   arm, nor deaf your ear; O rend the heav’n, come quickly
   rise, and bring all heav’n before our eyes.

5. Lord, we are few, but you are near; nor short your
   down, and make a thousand hearts your own.

William Cowper, 1769
Alt. 1950, mod.

Trinity Hymnal 377
Teach Me, O Lord, Your Way of Truth

Teach me, O LORD, to follow your decrees: then I will keep them to the end. Ps. 119:33

1. Teach me, O Lord, your way of truth, and from it I will not depart;
2. In your commandments make me walk, for in your law my joy shall be;
3. Turn now my eyes from vanity, and cause me in your ways to tread;
4. Turn away my reproach and fear; your righteous judgments I confess;

that I may steadfastly obey, give me an understanding heart,
give me a heart that loves your will, from discontent and envy free.
O let your servant prove your word and thus to godly fear be led.
to know your precepts I desire; revive me in your righteousness.

From Psalm 119:33-40
The Psalter, 1912; alt. 1990, mod.

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Joseph P. Hobbrook, 1874
Soldiers of Christ, Arise

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Be strong in the Lord and in his mighty power: Put on the full armor of God.
Eph. 6:10, 11

1. Soldiers of Christ, arise, and put your armor on.
2. Stand then in his great might, with all his strength endowed;
3. To keep your armor bright, attend with constant care;

Strong in the strength which God supplies through his eternal Son,
but take, to arm you for the fight, the panoply of God.
still walking in your Captain's sight, and watching unto prayer.

Strong in the Lord of Hosts, and in his mighty pow'r,
Leave no un guarded place, no weakness of the soul;
From strength to strength go on; wrestle and fight and pray;

who in the strength of Jesus trusts is more than conqueror.
take every virtue, every grace, and fortify the whole.
tread all the pow'rs of darkness down, and win the well-fought day.

Charles Wesley, 1749